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A POLITICAL MEMORY.

An Item in the Party History of a Past Period.

Henry Reed, the Veteran Journalist, Tells How the Elder Thomas Ewing Was Retired to Private Life.

[Special Correspondence.]

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 4.—I have a mind to relate how the Hon. Thomas Ewing, the elder of the name, came to be retired from public life, not altogether to his satisfaction, illustrating, as will appear, the unwisdom of ambitious men sacrificing their well-wishers, even when the latter are seemingly without the means to retaliate. The story is, as I believe, an item in the party history of a past period that has never been written, and may be interesting to some who witnessed and still remember the manifestations, without having been cognizant of the means by which they were produced. Mr. Ewing had no longings for the *otium cum dignitate*. Like most men who have sought and held office, he wanted to continue in office. He had been Congressman, Senator, Secretary of the Interior and of the Treasury, and, in his imagination, had surveyed and marked the path by which he was to advance to the presidency. Had there been no Thomas Corwin in the world, it is not unlikely that he would have attained the end of his ambition; but the instances are not uncommon in the party arena in which one ambition effectually blocks the way of another.

Mr. Ewing was covetous of office, the more so after he had had a taste of its enjoyments. Probably to very few could a relegation to the comparative unimportance of private citizenship have been less agreeable. He was in the full vigor of an advanced manhood, powerful in frame, commanding in presence, conscious of exceptional and unimpaired energies, confident in his powers and in will inflexible. Narrowed by his personal ambition and party attachments, he was a politician rather than a statesman; and as a lawyer he owed his reputation and such success as he achieved rather to his audacity and assertiveness than to his industry or profundity. It was a bitter day for Mr. Ewing when he found the gates of the official paradise closed against him; and they who had been instrumental in the occlusion—all of which I saw and a part of which I was—could not help a serious smile when they witnessed his frequent but fruitless efforts for rehabilitation; comparing him to a huge leviathan that had got shelved upon a sand-spit and was, as long as life lasted, trying to take advantage of every little thunder-gust freshet to float himself into deep water. Persons who have been run over and demolished by the behemoth do not usually pity the mishaps of their demolisher. They do not admit the right of the factitious great to override the little; and the fact that Mr. Ewing wanted the constancy of mind to accept his fate and die with dignity did not enhance the mourning of any for his disasters.

In the year 1848, and some time before and afterwards, Oren Follett, Samuel Fouer and Jacob Blickensderfer, Junior, constituted the Board of Public Works of Ohio, and were the active central managers for the Whig party of the State, having their official domicile at Columbus. Follett had been editor of The State Journal, the central organ of the Whig party—a sort of joint concern, in which the prominent Whig politicians of Ohio were understood to be stockholders—but had been succeeded by Hon. William B. Thrall, a gentleman of fine abilities, but of an uncombative disposition, and whose love of intellectual labor was not the most marked of his characteristics. As—a presidential election looming up in the middle distance—it was deemed advisable to to put a little more "sand" into the craw of The State Journal, there was an inquest for some one who could be depended upon to supply the desired commodity; and, I believe, at the suggestion of my next door neighbor and intimate friend, Mr. Morrison R. Waite, who has since been very deservedly raised to the place of Chief Justice of the United States, it was resolved to give me an opportunity to show the degree and kind of silex I had in my composition. In short, I was invited to occupy the post of assistant to that able and meritorious senior, Judge Thrall.

It was not exactly an invitation; it was a command. For two or three years, I had held a petty local office under the Board of Public Works, and the matter was placed before me in the shape of an obligation, as thus: As I had done good service to the State, to wit, the Whig party, in one capacity, it was morally obligatory upon me to compensate for the same by doing good service to the Whig party, to wit, the State, in another capacity. I had dipped into newspapers once or twice before, and made reputation—or to speak more precisely, a sort of a horse-thief notoriety—enough, but no money nor prospects of any; and I had firmly resolved to have nothing more to do with a trade so unremunerative.

But the insistence of my sponsors—everybody has his sponsors—was insidiously supplemented by an emissary within myself. Like the stigmata of the Indian pigment, upon the surface, that of printers' ink upon the physical corporeity defies detergence. Alike in man and woman, the effects of the first fall are ineradicable. The scent of blood lingering on the paws of the lion reawakens, the dominant appetite of the animal; and I had my memories. In short I consented upon conditions. These were that, if I filled the bill, and if the party should succeed at the coming election, Judge Thrall was to be disposed of by an appointment to the office of postmaster of Columbus, and I was to be placed at the head of The State Journal in permanency.

I appeared, according to the arrangement. Taking a survey of the capital of Ohio before assuming my position, I noticed copies of The State Journal lying in the areas, one day's issue on top of another, consigned to grass and wet with the dew of heaven like Nebuchadnezzar, and I then and there made a covenant with the undersigned either to make speedy correction of this or to tender my resignation; which covenant—in view of the fact that Columbus, in the matter of intellectual vitality, was nearly as dead as the famous lady after whom it was baptized—I can clearly say fulfilled.

When I reported for duty my mentor, Hon. O. n Follett, who was an ardent admirer and journalistic follower of the celebrated Joseph Gales, of The National Intelligencer, summoned me before him for scrutiny and advice.

"Well, Mr. R.," said he, "you are here; now what do you propose to do?"

"Really, Mr. Follett," I replied; "I hardly have thought. I do not know much about the incidents of politics—indeed, in the matter of party situations, tactics, strategy, personnel and statistics I have naturally a large proclivity for indifference; my disposition being not to consider the particulars, but to go in for the whole, but I will do my best to make matters lively hereabouts, if they will give me a chance.

"All very well," said my interlocutor, "but as your experience in political journalism has not been very extensive, you would do well to study some approved models in respect to style and mode of treatment, which are matters of the first importance. There is, for example, Jo. Gales, of The National Intelligencer. I am almost sure that my friend, while he was saying Jo Gales, was not thinking of one of his most devout worshippers, to wit: the Hon. Oren Follett; but there is a bare possibility that such was the fact—"he is a notable example, sir!"—

Well, Mr. Follett," said I, breaking in upon the impending panegyric—"if you or anybody else imagines that I am ambitious to transform myself into an effigy of Jo. Gales, or of any other man, you will find yourselves salvationally mistaken."

This was imprudent and I lost a point by it. There was more of this conversation and perhaps I ought not to repeat it; but I have found in the course of a somewhat lengthy experience that, in one's conversations, that is best relished which comes nearest to the inadmissible.

"You did not want to return to the newspaper business," said Mr. Follett. "Why was that? I should think you would regard the post of editor of the central organ of a great party higher than that of a canal collector."

"Well," said I, "one reason was, I had observed that editors, like schoolmasters, were apt in process of time to grow dogmatic, opinionative and pragmatical, and as I like ilks such ways I did not intend to be tempted to fall into them myself."

I am afraid that at that very moment I was thinking of my co-collocutor, an ex-pedagogue and ex-editor, who, noble hearted, scholarly and punctilious man that he was, was fully of the opinion that what he didn't know wasn't worth knowing. I confess I was a little taken back when he replied:

"Why, I do not know what your observation has been, but I am certain I never noticed any disposition of the kind in myself."

It is pretty certain that none of us see ourselves as we are seen by others. I know that I do not, for although I had always tried to be, and up to that time believed myself to have succeeded in being, in my personal aspect and carriage, one of the most subdued and least assertive of human beings, on my appearance at Columbus I heard of persons inquiring one of another who the fellow was who had come there to buy the town. And twenty years afterwards, walking along Fourth street, in Cincinnati, in a way that I deemed perfectly non-interjectional, a brother of mine whom I chanced to meet inquired if I was inspecting the city with a view to purchase.

Although I say it myself, I did fill the bill. Nominally the subordinate, I was in fact the leader. I made the Journal what it had never been before—a force. And, while my easy-going chieftain talked politics to visitors, I, from my closet under the shingles, fulminated the thunder, indoctrinated the party and led the Whig press of Ohio. But when it was proposed to me by the henchmen respectively of Big Tom and Black Tom—as they were designated—to join their several factions, my response had uniformly been, "The Whig party is small enough for me," I, very naturally, fell, under the suspicion of both; and so it happened that while the Judge and myself good easy men, thought our promised greatness a-ripening, the ax was being whetted for our decapitation. Gen. Taylor was elected, and yet no symptoms of the performance of the agreement. When, after his death, the executive branch of the government was reconstructed under Mr. Fillmore, Mr. Ewing retired from the Cabinet and was appointed to the Senate by Gov. Ford to fill out the unexpired term—being one session of Congress—of Mr. Corwin, who accepted the post of Secretary of the Treasury under the new arrangement.

Mr. Ewing wanted to be returned to the Senate by the next ensuing Legislature, and of course was desirous of the special aid of the central organ. This he would have had, of course, for we were not unfriendly to him; but great politicians want parasites, and neither Judge Thrall nor myself were of that species. Hence, in the place of the promotions that we still looked for, we were informed that Mr. Ewing had put some money into The State Journal, and that our places had been filled by persons of his selection, to one of whom he had given the Post Office. He wanted, he said, more talent; but if he got it the fact was never discovered.

The judge and myself, having nothing else to do, devoted ourselves to the work of retaliation—the Judge to secure the nomination to the Legislature of Whigs opposed to Mr. Ewing, and myself to the bringing out of our opposition candidate. He did his duty well—for he was well adapted to that species of manipulation—and I was not remiss in mine. His men—Wray Thomas, of Columbus, and Joseph H. Geiger, of Circleville—men who had sworn they would be throttled before they would vote for Ewing—were nominated and elected, and their election tied the Whig party in the Legislature. In the meantime, with the aid of prominent free soilers and some northern Whigs, I had succeeded in giving prominence to the Hon. Benjamin F. Wade as a candidate in opposition to Mr. Ewing. The fight in the Legislature was long and furious. Days were spent in balloting, interspersed with fiery speeches and bitter criminations. Thomas and Geiger stood their ground, and could neither be cajoled nor intimidated, until at length persistency prevailed, and the majority was compelled to give way; and after the most sharply contested campaign known to the political history of Ohio, Wade was elected. Whether good or evil came of the elevation to a seat in the Senate of this rampant abolitionist and agitator, this deponent declines to express an opinion. We—my chieftain and myself—thought we owed Mr. Ewing a moral debt, which we were honestly anxious to liquidate, and when the levia han made, as he often did, an effort to roll himself off the shallows and get again afloat, we smiled.

HENRY REED.

WIDOW SMITH GETS A HUSBAND.

After Rejecting One Widower and Losing Another She Marries Widower Hess.

[Beaver Brook (N. Y.) Cor. N. Y. Sun.]

Early in 1833 Jacob Hess, of Canonsville, lost his wife by death. He was eighty years old, and went to live with his brother, and in August of that year he expressed a wish to be married again. Living in the family of Jemmiah White, at Carcass Brook, was the Widow Smith, aged seventy. She had been a widow but a short time, and was on the lookout for another husband. Farmer White, hearing by chance that Widower Hess wanted to get married again, wrote to him to come to his house and see the Widow Smith. Nothing was heard from Hess. A week passed. The Widow Smith heard of a man in Hancock who was looking for a wife. She went to that place to see him. The day after she left White's, Widower Hess made his appearance there. White at once sent a letter to the Widow Smith at Hancock, telling her to return at once. She had called on the Hancock man who was looking for a wife. He did not suit her, and she had gone to a place five miles further west to look at a widower there who was in the matrimonial market. This man had gone to a village on the other side of the Delaware to see a young widow whom he had heard was willing to take another name. The Widow Smith, hoping that the young widow would not suit him, waited several days for his return. He returned, but the young widow had suited him so well that he brought her back with him.

All these days the letter from White to the Widow Smith, telling that Widower Hess was waiting for her at Carcass Brook, was lying uncalled for in the Hancock Post-office. When she was disappointed in the man who went across the river to find a wife she returned in disgust to Hancock. There she found the letter from White. She lost no time in getting back to Carcass Brook. Widower White was still there, waiting patiently for the widow to come back. They met and seemed pleased with each other. Hess proposed marriage to her at once, and she accepted him with equal promptness. They were married the same evening. Hess took his bride to his brother's home. The brother objected to an addition to his family in the shape of a sister-in-law, and so informed the newly-married couple. The ancient bridegroom had no place of his own to take his bride, and she left him and walked back to her old quarters at Farmer White's, nearly ten miles distant. Ever since then she has been endeavoring to interest her friends in her case so that she could procure a divorce, as a widower in Deposit was willing to marry her if she were free. Failing in her efforts, she last week informed her husband that he must come and live with her. He sent back word that he would meet her half way. That was satisfactory, and she walked half way to Carcass Brook, and he footed it half way from Carcass Brook, where they met at the house of a friend. They are to take up their residence on a farm in Brook Valley. Hess, now eighty-one, says he is good for twenty years' active farm work yet, and expects to do well.

Carpets and Crumb Cloths.

["Experience" in Philadelphia Call.]

It would be well if all housekeepers could avail themselves of the fashion of covering the center of the room only with carpet, leaving a margin around it for heavy furniture to stand upon, thus saving the strain of lifting and pushing, which is a great tax and injury at house-cleaning times. The floor beyond the carpets can be stained and varnished, or painted to suit the tints of the carpet. For common carpets a broad binding would serve as a border.

Crumb cloths should be made large enough to hold the chairs set around the table, and be tacked to the floor. If they have a border or a gay binding they become quite ornamental, especially if the border match some tint in the carpet.

Large figured carpets are out of fashion, and as small figures show off the furniture with better effect, and make the room seem larger, it is a good change, to say nothing of their better wearing.

The Children's Table.

[Nellie Burns in American Agriculturist.]

In one corner of my kitchen is an oval, small-sized table, with several inches of its legs sawed off. It is called the "children's table." It is there my little girls took their first lessons in kitchen work. It is very useful in teaching them to do such work as ironing, washing dishes, etc. I find it convenient also for my use, where I can do a great deal of work sitting down, that would have to be performed while standing if a higher table was used. Where a person is afflicted and not able to remain long on the feet, much of the work can be performed while sitting, if such a table is used.

Manicured Hands.

[Detroit Free Press.]

They are known by their rosy transparency of the nails and the well defined half-moon at the base, where the cuticle is drawn back and compelled to relinquish its tenacious hold. The cuttings of the nails are oval-shaped, and the brittle, shell-like edge smooth as glass. The whole hand undergoes a change as by direction of the manicure it is swathed in poultices and washes by night and watched and caressed by day until it becomes as handsome and perfect in its shape as it is possible for that particular hand to be, and an object of respect and admiration to its owner.

The English Girl's Secret of Beauty.

[Max O'Rell's New Book.]

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[Boston Gazette.]

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Ar. Port Huron	1.35 A.M.	7.00 A.M.
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" Hamilton	6.50 A.M.	1.55 P.M.
" Suspension Bridge	8.05 A.M.	3.15 P.M.
" Buffalo	9.15 A.M.	5.10 P.M.
" Toronto	8.30 A.M.	7.10 P.M.
" Montreal	7.00 P.M.	7.15 A.M.
" Portland	12.35 P.M.	5.20 P.M.
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Ar. Detroit	10.10	6.25	11.59	5.35	7.25
	p.m.	p.m.	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.
Ar. St. Thomas	11.30	11.48	2.25	10.05	11.20
	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Ar. N. Y. R.) (via C. Toronto	12.20	12.20	12.20	12.40	12.35
	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Ar. Niagra Falls	7.20	7.30	7.35	7.50	7.20
	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Ar. Buffalo	7.40	7.40	7.50	8.00	7.45

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MESSRS. MCDONALD, of Cape Breton, Boldue, of Two Mountains, Que., and ex-Lieut.-Governor Robitaille have been to the Senate. Mr. Francis Clemow will be appointed to succeed Senator Skead, of Ottawa.

FOUR thousand millions of fictitious watered stock is represented in the stock and bonds of the American railroads. Every dollar of interest paid upon watered stock is a theft perpetrated upon the masses of the people. Are there no companies with watered stock plying their nefarious practices in Canada?

THE Manitoba Southwestern branch now built fifty miles from Winnipeg, will be extended another 100 miles Water Lake, and in time to move next summer with terminus at White next year's crops. Contract for ties for the addtional fifty miles on the Manitoba Northwestern now running to Minnedosa, has been let and trains will be running to Birtle by autumn.

HON. ISAAC BURPEE, who was Minister of Customs in the Mackenzie Government, has resigned his seat in consequence of ill-health. Mr. Burpee has never been an able orator, and is of a quiet and retiring disposition. He is a first-class business man, and gave great satisfaction to the commercial interests of the country as the head of the customs department.

IT has often been said that the rate of mortality among war correspondents is greater even than that of the fighting men. These Egyptian battles confirm the view with a vengeance. Three out of five correspondents killed and one wounded, had the ratio among the combatant part of Stewart's force been the same would mean a loss of some 1500 men.

THE Chinese diplomatic agent at Lima, has visited the northern provinces with the object of ascertaining the condition of his countrymen employed on the estates. He reports that he was present at the exhumation of bodies of laborers with their legs mangled and bearing marks of fearful flagellation. He examined samples of the rice provided for their food and found in many cases more than half of it to be sand.

SIR CHARLES WILSON, who has succeeded General Stewart in the command of the advance guard of the Soudan expedition, is a Colonel in the Royal Engineers who went to Egypt with the rank of Deputy-Adjutant-General. Among his other qualifications for the command, he is an accomplished Arabic scholar. The men must have had great confidence in him, or his little army could scarcely have undergone the terrific strain involved in the trials of those fearful days.

THE report of the royal commission appointed at last session of the Ontario legislature to investigate charges against certain persons of attempting to corrupt members of that House, has been presented. It finds that C. W. Bunting, general manager of the Toronto *Mail*, Edward Meek, barrister, Toronto; J. A. Wilkinson, Dominion Government employee and editor of the Durham *News*; Frederick Stinson, Northwest ranchman, and T. S. Kirkland, Wisconsin lumber merchant, were guilty of conspiracy and attempt to bribe members of the legislature; that the course pursued by the government was free from any wrong; that the money used by those attempting to bribe was supplied by themselves; and that there was no evidence to show that any member of the Opposition had any knowledge of the proceedings. Opinions are divided as to what can be done with the conspirators, the majority believing that they will simply be fined. The *Globe* calls upon the House of vindicate its own honor. It says the duty and responsibility imposed upon it are far above any considerations of a personal or private character, and a more dangerous blow couldn't be dealt its representative institutions than to palliate the crime of the conspirators. The *Mail* characterizes the report of Justice Proudfoot and Judge Senkler as extremely partizan, holding it as not justified by the evidence, and talks of the probable impeachment of Proudfoot. It refers to Judge Scott's minority report, which holds that as Bunting has not been properly subpœnaed, and had no intimation of the charges, no action can be taken against him on the evidence to be reported under the commission.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

The speech of the Governor-General at the opening of the Dominion Parliament is not really so good a bill of fare as that spread before our own Local House, by the representative of Her Majesty, a few weeks ago. It is flat and vapid compared to the latter's redundant verbosity. However, speeches from the throne, of late years, have lost their significance, and are now no longer accepted as correctly indicating, or in any sense mapping out, the legislation that may be attempted by the Government during the session. The only new measures promised are: 1. A bill introducing into the Northwest territories a more simple and economic system for the transfer of lands; 2. A bill ratifying the "better terms" arrangement with Manitoba; 3. A bill to aid railway enterprises in the Northwest territories by liberal grants of land; 4. A bill providing for taking the census of the Northwest territories, with a view, we suppose, to give them representation in the House. Other measures, such as a proposed amendment to the Insurance Act of 1877, a Civil Service Act, and a law relating to contagious diseases among cattle, are promised during the session. Probably the most important bill referred to in the speech is "a measure relating to the representation of the people in Parliament, and for the assimilation of the electoral franchises in the several provinces." This is the old franchise act of last session—"cauld kale het again." There is no promise of any legislation in the direction of restricting Chinese immigration. The report of the commission, which is said to be nearly completed, will be laid before the House some time "during the session." It is more than probable that Sir John has gone as far in this direction as he ever purposed going: the commission was never intended to have any other practical effect than to allay, for a time, the anti-Chinese feeling in this Province. The arch-trickster has ever been proficient in pulling wool over the eyes of a credulous people. But, although the speech does not foreshadow either a long or an interesting session, there is good reason to suppose that it will prove to be one of considerable importance and of the usual duration.

THE CARTIER STATUE.

THE unveiling of the statue of Sir George E. Cartier took place at Ottawa on the day of the opening of Parliament, shortly after the adjournment of the House, and was witnessed by a large assemblage. The ceremony was performed by Sir John A. Macdonald, who pronounced a high eulogium on the character of the dead French Canadian leader. He said that he had served his country faithfully and well and that his life was shortened by his great exertions, and that during a political life in which he reached a high eminence, he gained the respect of both parties. His political opponents gave him credit for honesty, and believed that whether right or wrong he acted according to the best of his judgment. He spoke of the relations between Cartier and himself, and said that when he died he lost a friend, comrade and associate. Though true to his Province, race and religion he was free from all trace of bigotry or favoritism, and was popular among the English-speaking people. As a man he was truthful and honest and he never deserted a friend. He loved him while he lived and regretted him deeply when he died. Sir John then drew aside a veil and disclosed the statue, while the bands played and the assembled people loudly applauded. Sir Hector Langevin then spoke in French. He said the Government had felt it their duty to erect this statue for the sake of those who had not known Cartier and to recall his memory to future generations. Sir George Cartier during his life had political adversaries, but no enemies, and now, after the lapse of twelve years, these adversaries remembered only his good qualities. The monument was a credit to the country and to the parliament which, without distinction of race or religion, had done honor to this great man, and it would teach future generations of young men what a man can do with energy, talent, devotion and patriotism. It would teach them that there was no position in the State which could not be occupied by one who served well his country and gained the confidence of his countrymen. The assembly then dispersed. The statue stands west of the main building. It is ten feet in height, is of bronze, and stands upon a pedestal of Canadian granite 12 feet high. It is the work of the Canadian artist Herbert, of Montreal, and is pronounced by those who knew Sir George Cartier to be an excellent likeness.

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H. B. ROYCRAFT,
fe2 Supt. Prov. Police.

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FROM VICTORIA FOR	MONDAY.	TUESDAY.	WED'SDAY.	THURSDAY.	FRIDAY.	SATURD'Y
Ladner's Landing, New Westminster and Ft Hammond		7 A. M.			7 A. M.	
Plumper Pass					7 A. M.	
Grane'le, Moodyv'le, Ft Moody					7 A. M.	

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Victoria, Monday, Feb. 9, 1885.

Arrival and Departure of Steamers.

FOR PORT TOWNSEND and all points on the Sound—O. R. & N. Co.'s steamers leave Victoria every morning, Sundays excepted, at 7 a. m., standard time, or 2:45 Victoria time, making close connection with the N. P. R. R. at Tacoma.

FOR SEATTLE, via Port Townsend—The Eliza Anderson leaves every Sunday, Wednesday and Friday morning at 7 a. m.

FOR NANAIMO—The Enterprise leaves Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 a. m., returning on the alternate days.

FOR NANAIMO.—The Amelia sails every Monday, Wednesday and Friday Morning at 7 o'clock.

FOR BURRARD INLET—The Steamer Otter leaves C. P. N. Co.'s wharf every Wednesday at 5 o'clock a.m.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER—The Princess Louise leaves Tuesday and Friday at 7 a. m.

NEW WESTMINSTER ROUTE—Steamer Idaho will leave Tacoma every Wednesday at 1 p. m.; Seattle at midnight; Port Townsend, Thursday at 8 a. m. Returning leaves New Westminster via San Juan Island, every Saturday, at 6 a. m., arriving at Tacoma on Sunday.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER, PORT HAMMOND and way Ports—The steamer Teaser leaves Turner, Beetse & Co.'s wharf Tuesdays and Fridays at 1 a. m.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Cows graze in the Masonic cemetery at N. W.

—The Guardian says that lots are selling rapidly at Port Moody.

—Blockade raised—Elgin Butter arrived at Neufelder & Ross.

—An adjourned session of the City Council will be held at 7:30 to-night.

—Parties having friends coming from the east should read Hall & Goepel's ad in this issue.

—The bishop of New Westminster is to visit Tacoma next week, when the Episcopal residence will be formally opened.

—Yesterday was bright and beautiful weather, and pedestrians enjoyed long rambles into the country. To-day is wet and cheerless.

—The Free Press complains that some of the vagrants and gamblers, who have lately found Victoria too hot for them, are going to Nanaimo.

—On Saturday Mr. Saunders received information that steamer Sardonyx had arrived at Hongkong on Monday, Feb. 2d, and all on board well.

—Freight for the following arrived by the Geo. E. Starr yesterday: T Dunk, J Weiler, S Lowe, S Leiser, J McPhee, A Sullivan, D B Grant, J B Lorrie.

—Reports from London on 29th ult., quoted Hudson Bay company shares at £21¾. Canadian Pacific closed at 40½ ex-dividend. British Columbia, 1894, 6 p. c, loan, 112.

—The ladies of the Y. W. C. T. U. will hold a social entertainment to-night in Temperance hall. These meetings are always very pleasant and quite popular with the young people.

—Passengers arrived by the Geo. E. Starr yesterday as follows—W T Briggs, J McCartney, J Van Rosselt, Ah Dung, Sing Hang, C V Hubbard, F Burke, C Horch, T Richardson, J Rankin.

—Barracks are being erected at the Second Crossing of the Columbia, and some of the Mounted Police will be stationed there. They will prevent the sale of liquors and preserve order generally.

—Notwithstanding the rainy weather of the past few weeks numerous little flowers are showing themselves about Beacon Hill, and primroses can be seen in some gardens. This is not bad for the first half of February.

—Read Dr. Tolmie's excellent letter on Metlakahtla in this issue. It was refused publication in yesterday morning's Colonist. A contemptible exhibition of journalistic partisanship. It is very temperately written, and by one who knows whereof he speaks.

—Freight will be taken by the steamer Princess Louise to-morrow morning for Chilliwhack and way ports. It is not expedient for shippers to ship freight for points on the railway at present as the blockade caused by the break in the road at Hope has not yet been raised.

—The Nanaimo Free Press says: The work on the Island railway construction is progressing very favorably. Gangs of white men and Chinamen (principally the latter) are engaged in grading within the city limits. The reports of the blasting of the rock can be heard at regular intervals.

—Indians who have arrived at New Westminster from Texada Island report the finding of a row boat containing what seemed to be the remains of a white man. The body was lashed to the boat and was much decomposed. Possibly this may be the boat lost some months ago at the Sandhead lighthouse.

—As we pointed out a week or two ago, the morning organ imitates the Irish journalist who published a fictitious murder story and its denial in the same issue. Three local items on the accident to workmen on the Nellie May have appeared in the Colonist, and it has not yet correctly told the story. Such pertinacity in groping for the truth is highly commendable! "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again."

—The railway people, says the Columbian, don't seem to concern themselves particularly over a failure to fulfill their mail contract. When a train breaks down, or a bridge or a tunnel collapses, the mail is permitted to lie right there until the damage has been repaired. In other countries it is customary under such circumstances to make arrangements immediately for forwarding the mails. But they do things differently in British Columbia, and the officials seem to stand it with perfect composure.

Blue Ribbon Meeting.

The meeting in Temperance Hall on Saturday evening was well attended. Addresses were delivered by Messrs. Rudge and Gray on the temperance question. Masrs. Percival and Pain gave recitations. There was a good supply of music, both vocal and instrumental. Besides the music supplied by the orchestra songs were sung by Mr. Harding and by Miss Maty Holden, a little girl, and a duet by Misses Burgess and Humber.

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TEMPERANCE LECTURE.

An Able Address by the Rev. Donald Fraser.

At First Presbyterian Church last evening, Rev. Mr. Fraser delivered his second lecture on Temperance to a large audience. The text chosen was Acts 24-25 "And as He reasoned of righteousness, temperance, and judgment to come, Felix trembled." The point to be considered was whether the word "temperance" meant moderation or total abstinence. Examples were adduced to show that the word temperance in Scripture, when applied to other things than liquors frequently meant total abstinence. Cicero's definitions of the word were "The restraining of the desires in obedience to the dictates of reason" and "When the question is what to seek or what to avoid, the rule is to follow reason." There were three considerations as to the reasonableness of the use of liquors.

1. It is reasonable to use intoxicating liquors as a medicine? To this an affirmative answer could be given, but there must be three conditions to justify their use, namely: the person must be sick; the liquor must be prescribed and administered by an intelligent and judicious adviser, and the use must be discontinued when the patient is cured.

2. It is reasonable to use alcholic liquors as a beverage? The answer to this was a decided negative. This was a physical question entirely. Extracts were given from the works of Dr. Richardson, Dr. Willard Parker and others to show that the use of liquors was injurious to the health, and that on an average the lives of habitual drinkers were shortened 29 years.

3. Is it reasonable that the sale of liquors should be allowed, or that the state should permit the sale of that which was an injury to the people? The answer to this was also in the negative. The use of liquors was an injury to the state, a snare to the young, was productive of a false appetite, and tended to gather together the scum of society. Saloons, hotel bars and the liquor departments should be abolished, as they contribute to the precuniary advantage of the few at the expense and danger of the many. The dictates of reason and conscience were for their abolishment. The condition of the city of Pullman with its 8,500 inhabitants was instanced, where owing to the absence of liquors, crime was almost unknown.

The address was very argumentative and was listened to attentively.

MARINE NOTES.

Barkentine Elise is in Royal Roads.

Am. ship Spartan is lying in Barclay Sound.

Tug Alexander came in this afternoon light, from Nanaimo.

Bark Majestic left in tow of the Alexander for Nanaimo yesterd ay to load coal.

The steamer Wilmington will repair at Seattle. The contract for repairs is $1550.

Bark Columbia is lying in Barclay Sound, having put in there on account of bad weather.

The Storm King left in tow of the Hope for Port Townsend yesterday, to load lumber.

The Second Crossing.

According to the Kamloops Sentinel travelers speak favorably of the location for a townsite at the Second Crossing of the Columbia, and state that already parties are on hand to settle down there; they number at present 30 or 40 buildings, while perhaps 100 more are looking around for chances. The location will probably be the main settlement between Calgary and Kamloops. Supplies are constantly arriving from the railway terminus and goods are getting down to reasonable prices; flour at end of the track is to be had for $3.50 per hundred, sugar from 8 to 9 lbs. for a dollar; bacon from 17 to 18 cents. In fact everything accordingly downward. New stopping places are to be erected at once and it is expected that a good business will be done there this season. There are already three white ladies at the embryo city.

Northwest Enterprise.

The sheriff recently seized the property of the city council of Victoria, B. C., in satisfaction of a debt of some $870. We sincerely pity Victoria for this slur on its reputation. It is not the seizure which distresses us, but the paltry size of the debt. It is no sort of advertisement to be seized for a debt of a few hundred dollars. We do these things better in the northwest. Winnipeg, for instance. When they seize the mayor's chair in Winnipeg it will be in satisfaction of a debt of $2,500,000. In Calgary all the council was elected on the distinct understanding that if the sheriff was to be given a civic job it was to be a $10,000 one any way. In this way we are able to respect the council and get a good advertisement for the town. Victoria will have to wait till the railway strikes it. We will inspire it with the proper northwest respect.—Calgary Herald.

A Valuable Mine.

The Silver Islet Mining Company has offered to purchase the location of the Silver Mountain Mining Company for $300,000, of which they will pay $50,000 at once and the remainder in a year. The mine is near Whitefish Lake; from Port Arthur, forty miles, from Murillo distant on the C. P. R., about twenty miles. It is on R 53 and 54 near Whitefish Lake, Thunder Bay District. The summit of Silver Mountain crowned with a rocky cap about ten or twelve feet thick, underneath which the silver vein lies, splitting the top in halves. The vein is said by Thunder Bay Sentinel to be about three feet in width, increasing in size as depth is attained.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. E. C. Baker, M. P., Victoria, B. C., and Mrs. Baker arrived in Ottawa on the 29th ult., and are staying with Mr. Cambie.

Mr. F. J. Barnard, M. P., British Columbia, and Mrs. Barnard are staying at the Grand Union, Ottawa.

Mr. E. J. Lanning of the firm of Ison, Lanning & Co., Albany, Or., is in the city looking after the interest of his firm.

THE GAMBLER'S GROWL.

(Written for THE TIMES)

When a man can't start a square game
But the cogs must needs break it up,
It makes a man think things are wrong,
And cuss such a hard chuck-o'-luck.

And when the vag. act they ring in,
To try and make poor spellers go,
It makes every dealer here think
They are getting most mighty keno.

And I'd like to make just one more kick,
To let those blue-coated gems know,
That to bust a small game and wink at a big
Is by no means a dealing faro.

—TRUTH.

Victoria, Feb. 5th, 1885.

Yacht and Steam Race.

A race will take place to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, between Mr. Burke's yacht Fleetwing, and Charley Smith's sloop Bugaboo. The course will be from a point near the custom house to Esquimalt and return. The race is for $120 a side, and the money has been placed in the hands of the proprietor of the New Brunswick House. An interesting race may be expected.

TELEGRAPHIC.

Canadians Volunteering for Service in Egypt.

The Khedive Believes that Gen. Gordon is Alive.

HEAVY SNOW STORM IN THE EAST.

Prosecuting the Dynamiters for High Treason.

Special Dispatches to THE TIMES.

Heavy Storm.

CHICAGO, Feb. 9.—A snow storm of great violence is raging throughout the eastern and nearly all the western States east of the Rocky Mountains. In this city business of all kinds is nearly suspended. Snow lies to a great depth on the streets. Street cars, drawn by horses, are moving only with great difficulty, and in freight yards and railway stations, freight handlers and train employees are engaged in an attempt to clear the tracks. Passenger trains only are attempting to leave. At the signal station, the news was rather conflicting and confused. This much was authoritative, however, the snow storm has come from the south. It arose in the Gulf of Mexico yesterday, and has been traveling a little east of north ever since. The wind is blowing with a velocity of about twenty miles per hour, and has gone far to the northwest, the weather being especially fierce in all the lower lake regions from here to Buffalo. It has taken its flight to the St. Lawrence region in a northeasterly direction. This morning's storm had not reached the northern end of Lake Michigan, neither will it reach as far northwest as Duluth, but will take in Wisconsin. While snowing here, and all along the lake region, the storm has produced rain in the Ohio valley. This being so large a storm, said the signal officer, is to include all kinds of weather in its wake. While snowing fiercely in Buffalo for instance, it is raining in Pittsburg, but a couple of hundred miles south. Rain extends as far south as northern Mississippi. The actual measurement of the snow fall has not been possible, by reason of excessive drifting, but at least six inches fell between the beginning of the storm last night and six this morning, although the temperature early this morning was five degrees higher by the thermometer than yesterday morning. It is rapidly growing cold in the northwest region, especially in Manitoba and Dakota and northern Minnesota. A frigid wave is spreading at Fort Garry. Last night the mercury reached 41 degrees below zero, and at St. Vincent 38 below. This excessively cold wave is moving eastward and may be upon us to-night in this city. At noon the mercury stood 20 above.

The President.

YONKERS, N. Y., Feb. 9.—President elect Cleveland and Dan. Manning, remained at Greystone last night as guests of Gov. Tilden. From early morning Yonkers depot was packed by an anxious crowd eager to catch a glimpse of the party.

Foreign Dispatches.

Special Dispatches to THE TIMES.

The Khedive's Opinion.

CAIRO, Feb. 9.—In an interview to-day the Khedive said he believed that Gordon is still alive, as the Mahdi is too wise a man to kill him. The Mahdi had no interest in wishing to kill Gen. Gordon, but on the contrary would do all in his power to prevent such an occurrence. Instant action on the part of England, he said, is necessary to prevent the further progress of the Mahdi's course, and avert new disasters. Abandonment of the Soudan by England, under present circumstances, would be a grave mistake. Tribes hitherto friendly to Great Britain would now join the Mahdi, and if England does not take immediate steps to crush him, his influence may severely threaten the stability of the British empire in the Soudan.

British Dispatches.

Special Dispatches to THE TIMES.

Prosecuting the Dynamiters.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—The further examination of Jas. J. Cunningham and Harry Burton, charged with conspiracy in causing the explosion at the Tower began today at Bow Street Police Court. The room was crowded with spectators. No unusual demonstration was made. Harry Burton declined the services of counsel, and said he would defend himself. Poland opened the case for the crown. He created a sensation by immediately announcing the withdrawal of the charge of conspiracy, and substituted that of high treason and felony against both parties jointly. Under the new indictment, the solicitor proceeded to state the testimony the crown would produce to sustain the charge of high treason and felony against the prisoners. In doing this, Poland of necessity repeated his story narrated at the former examination of Cunningham and Burton.

Canadian Dispatches.

Special Dispatches to the THE TIMES.

Canadian Patriotism.

OTTAWA, Feb. 9.—It is stated that Col Williams has tendered his services, and those of a regiment, selected from the Canadian militia, for active service in Egypt, whenever the home authorities may require them. The application has been forwarded by the Governor General to England.

The Grismer-Davies Company.

The Seattle Post-Intelligencer says: "When a theatrical company can play to four successive large audiences in Seattle, it must be possessed of more than usual merit. The Grismer-Davies company have done this, and therefore must be, by public verdict, declared meritorious." This company will commence a season of four nights to-morrow evening in Philharmonic Hall, during which "Monte Cristo," "Lights o' London" and "Michael Strogoff" will be presented. The manner of rendition of these strong plays by the company is highly spoken of, and the theater-going public will no doubt enjoy a great treat this week.

Accumulations.

The Dominion post office savings bank statement for December shows deposits of $656,023; withdrawals, $487,550; balance at credit of depositors, $14,183,258, being an increase of $197,124 over last month.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

Third Session.—Fourth Provincial Parliament.

MONDAY, Feb. 9th, 1885.

The Speaker took the chair at 2 o'clock. Prayers were offered by Rev. Mr. Malachi.

PRESENTING PETITION.

Mr. Raybould presented petitions in favor of closing saloons and bars on Sundays from Wellington and Cowichan.

Mr. Cunningham presented petitions on the same subject from the municipalities of Chilliwhack, Sumas, Langley and Maple Ridge.

Mr. Raybould presented petitions from Wellington, in favor of extending the franchise to women.

Mr. Drake presented petitions on the same subject from Comox and Maple Ridge.

Petitions on the subject of closing of saloons and bars on Sunday, were read and received.

A petition was read from liquor dealers in New Westminster, asking that no legislation on the Sunday closing question be passed. The petition was read and received.

RESOLUTIONS.

Mr. Orr moved the following resolution: "That an humble address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, requesting His Honor to urge upon the Dominion Government the necessity of increased postal facilities in the district of New Westminster, from Brown's Landing, on the Fraser river, along the Trunk road to Chilliwhack." He said the mail was at present carried by the railroad and the people on the south side of the river were frequently unable to get their mail. It was necessary to have the mail on the south side carried by the stage.

The motion was seconded by Mr. Davie, (Victoria), and carried.

REPORTS.

Mr. Martin presented the report of the Private Bills Committe. The following bills had complied with the rules:

An act to incorporate the Similkameen Railway.

An act referring to the sale of lots in New Westminster city.

An act to incorporate the Nanaimo water works.

An act in regard to a railway from New Westminster to the 49th parallel.

The committee recommended that the time for receiving private bills be extended till Friday next.

Mr. Cunningham asked permission to introduce a bill in reference to the New Westminster City Land Act.

Leave being granted the bill was read a first time and referred to Private Bill Committee.

Mr. Cunningham asked permission to introduce a bill to incorporate the New Westminster Southern Railway.

Leave being granted the bill was read a first time, and referred to the Private Bill Committee.

Hon. Mr. Robson laid on the table copies of correspondence in regard to the arrest of Emin, and the Second Annual Report of Immigration Agents.

Mr. Duck asked leave to introduce a bill intituled "An Act respecting the profession of medicine and surgery."

Leave being granted the bill was read a first time and second reading ordered for Friday next.

The Hon. Mr. Robson asked leave to introduce a bill intituled "An Act to provide for the disposal of penalties in certain cases."

Granted, read a first time and second reading ordered for Wednesday next.

The Hon. Mr. Robson asked leave to introduce a bill intituled "An Act to amend the 'Municipality Act, 1881.'"

Leave being granted, the bill was read a first time, second reading ordered for Wednesday.

Mr. Duck moved the following resolution:

Whereas the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of British Columbia, with the Legislative Assembly, did, on the 18th day of February, 1884, pass an Act (No. 3) intituled "An Act to prevent the Immigration of Chinese;" and whereas the said Act was, on the 8th day of April, 1884, disallowed by His Excellency the Governor-General in Canada; and whereas it is highly expedient that such measures should be adopted as to effectually prevent any further immigration of Chinese; be it therefore resolved, that the following petition be at once forwarded to the Dominion Government and to each of our representatives in the Commons and Senate at Ottawa:

To the Honorable House of Commons, in Parliament assembled:

The petition of the Legislative assembly of the Province of British Columbia, humbly sheweth that we view with great alarm the thousands of Chinese coolies continually arriving in the Province of British Columbia, and while we regard this country as free to every man seeking an opportunity to better his condition in life, we deem it but just and right that those who come to our shores shall not be such as to work injury to the moral and material welfare of the Dominion; that the unlimited admission of the race of people known as Chinese coolies does work such injury to our country, for the following reasons: That they do not come to make a home or settle in the country, or to add to the country's wealth, but to prey upon our natural resources, and to take what they earn out of the country; that they are leprous in blood and unclean in habits; that they are destructive of the means by which the white mechanical and laboring classes earn a living wage; that there are immoral practices, debasing habits and contagious diseases, peculiar to this people, which they have already introduced to an alarming extent upon this continent, and against which we have a right to defend ourselves and our children; we therefore humbly pray for the enactment of such laws as will prohibit any further introduction of this undesirable class of people into any part of the Dominion of Canada. And as in duty bound your petitioners will ever pray.

He said that this was a copy of a resolution to be introduced in the House of Commons by Mr. Shakespeare, and he thought it was advisable to pass the same in this House, so as to strengthen his hands.

The motion was seconded by Mr. Beaven.

Hon. Mr. Davie hoped the House would moderate the language of the resolution. He thought it would be advisable to refer the motion to a committee of the House to be redrafted. He moved that all words after "be it resolved" be struck out and the following inserted: "That a special committee be appointed to draft resolutions on the Chinese question," and that the following be the committee: Messrs. Duck, Davie, (Victoria), Drake, Hon. Mr. Davie and Mr. Raybould.

The motion was seconded by Mr. Dingwall.

Mr. Orr suggested the addition of the name of Mr. Cunningham.

Mr. Galbraith would like the honorable the Attorney-General to state what part of the resolutions he objected to, as the same motion was to be introduced in the House of Commons at Ottawa. He said Mr. Beaven was afraid he would not be able to act on the committee.

Hon. Mr. Davie thought parts of the resolutions were too strong.

Mr. Dunsmuir said he saw two paragraphs in the resolutions which he could not endorse. The one was where it says they do not come to make a home in the country; and the other was where it says they are destructive of the means by which the white mechanical and laboring classes earn a living wage. He claimed that the white man would not get as much if it were not for the Chinese.

Mr. Davie (Victoria) said the experience of the last speaker was not the general experience of the country. He (the speaker) was one of those who believed that it was necessary to get rid of the Chinese. He was greatly disappointed when the former Act had been disallowed at Ottawa. He endorsed the spirit of the resolutions, but there were some paragraphs which he objected to. These were that they were leprous in blood and unclean in habits, and that their debasing habits and contagious diseases had been introduced on the continent. There were no instances produced before the commission to prove similar statements which had been made by representatives at Ottawa.

Mr. Raybould differed very materially from his colleage (Mr. Dunsmuir). He had seen enough to convince him that the Chinese were detrimental to the country. It was understood that the commission would visit Nanaimo to take evidence, but the members only visited the city on other business. The white man could not compete with the Chinaman, because the latter would work for one half the wages and white men could not support families on such wages. He could see great evidences of prosperity among the Chinese in Victoria, and unless they were checked they would eventually absorb the industries. [Cheers.]

Mr. Galbraith asked Hon. Mr. Davie to withdraw the name of Mr. Beaven and insert that of the member from New Westminster. This was agreed to.

Mr. Duck stated that what this House should do was to show the Dominion Government that the representatives were unanimous. He was willing to accept the amendment. The motion as amended was carried.

Mr. Duck asked leave to introduce a bill intituled "An Act to regulate day labor."

The Speaker said the bill appeared to conflict with a clause of the British North America Act, as it tended to regulate trade and commerce.

Mr. Theo. Davie thought trade and commerce did not refer to local matter such as day labor in this Province. He was not prepared to question the ruling, as he had not the opportunity of inquiring into the legality of the bill.

Mr. Galbraith thought it would have been better to have taken exception to the bill when it came up for second reading, as the members would then have been able to make themselves familiar with the substance of the bill.

The Speaker suggested that Mr. Duck give notice that on some day he would move the House into committee of the whole to consider the matter.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Edwin Johnson, Esq., S. M.)

Ah Fah and Ah Leon, charged with stealing $700 from a guest at the Driard House, were remanded until to-morrow.

Bing Long, charged with being in possession of stolen property, was again remanded.

Four "drunks" were assessed the usual amount.

Thomas Hampton, for supplying liquor to Indians, was fined $50 or three months imprisonment.

Dan. Roland, for having a valise known to have been stolen, was sentenced to six months imprisonment.

Mr. Wilson, for having entered the Brown Jug saloon and appropriated to his own use an overcoat, was rewarded with six months imprisonment.

Eleven sailors, who refused to do duty on board the ship Undaunted, were ordered to return on board, the ship paying expenses.

Tim Kee amused himself by letting off fireworks on the street yesterday, and was ordered to contribute $5 to the civic revenue.

The case against Capt. Moore, for infraction of the steamboat laws, was proceeding as we go to press.

Struck a Reef.

The American ship Spartan, Capt. Reed, from San Francisco to Port Townsend, to load lumber for Melbourne, struck a reef off Waddy Island, Neah Bay, and had to put into Barclay Sound leaking badly. Captain Reed came into the city yesterday and left on board the Dolphin to-day with a diver, to locate the leak.

Got One Duck.

Yesterday afternoon Messrs. Reid and Maynard were shooting the Gorge, at ebb tide, in a little green canoe, and got upset. They went a ducking and got out. The specific gravity of their shooting irons being greater than that of the salt water, they went to the bottom. A fishing excursion will now be in order.

Corralled.

A telegram on Saturday says that a marriage has been arranged between the Princess Clementine, daughter of King Leopold of Belgium, and Prince Albert Victor, eldest son of the Prince of Wales.

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The Colonist on Metlakatlah Affairs

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—It is quite clear to everyone who has been blessed with the sublime patience to read through the Colonist's late vicious and undignified attacks upon Mr. Grant, M.P.P., that the editor of that journal must be animated by something more potent than his conviction of Mr. Duncan's injury and innocence, for however great his sympathy and admiration for that gentleman's seditious teachings, he yet cannot be altogether blind to what well regulated and unprejudiced minds esteem justice, notwithstanding the utter disregard which he has ever manifested towards that virtue. It looks very much as though the Colonist's editor assailed Mr. Grant as the embodiment of the TIMES newspaper, in which he shrewdly recognizes a superior rival, and hopes to injure its reputation by publishing every false imputation and malicious slander upon that gentleman, that the sharpened ingenuity of his jealous animosity can suggest or invent. That a man who, in the selfishness of his mean and sordid spirit, did not hesitate to impose upon the trusting credulity of a large community of ignorant savages, and to involve them in a dangerous and disgraceful agitation for the mere gratification of his personal spite and unworthy ambitions—that a man whose denunciation in the House of Assembly as a liar, a traitor, and a seditious teacher, called forth the applause of nearly every member—that a man who could hide for years such monstrous infamy beneath the pharisaical cloak of a consummate hypocrisy,—who could descend to the prostitution of the sacred calling as a means of facilitating the achievement of his own inglorious ends—that such a man should find in the editor of the Colonist a ready supporter and admirer is only natural, and is surprising only to those who are strangers to the Province. But what really is astonishing is, the reckless manner in which he hazards the remnant of his limited popularity, which to him, represents dollars, by flaunting with open effrontery and unabated insolence the avowal of his pernicious sentiments in the face of a public whose aversion for them is so universal, and whose condemnation of them is so decidedly marked. It is evident that he is influenced by some powerful motive, and that an inordinate affection for truth and justice is not the actuating principle; possibly the innendo at the end of "Ly's" letter in this evening's TIMES, relative to the printing of labels for Duncan's cannery, may furnish a correct clue to the mystery. But whatever may have been the cause which prompted that editor's scandalous display of acrimonious partisanship, in dealing with the Metlakahtla question, we may safely predict that the final result will show that the disgraceful means he has chosen to employ will ultimately defeat their own object, which appears to be an absurd attempt to delude the public into the belief that Mr. Duncan is a much wronged and innocent saint, who has been persecuted by a relentless bishop, and libelled by the member for Cassiar. The worthy editor of the Colonist was not gifted with foresight enough to see that his sympathetic support of a disloyal and hypocritical agitator, and the fulsome panegyrics which he showered upon him with lavish impertinence, would only serve to rouse the indignation of outraged right and honor and cause a more exacting demand for strict and rigid justice.

It would be quite useless to deny or contradict in detail all the garbled quotations, deliberate untruths, and falsified statements, that have lately disfigured the columns of the Colonist, on subjects connected with the Metlakahtla troubles; it would be useless to deny them because they deceive no one, notwithstanding the evident labor that has been bestowed upon their arrangement for the purpose of distorting their meaning and conveying a false impression. C.

Feb. 6, 1885.

Tshimsian (Indians), Mr. Duncan and Bishop Ridley.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR:—Please insert the sub-joined letter. According to Mr. Higgins' promise to me on the 5th inst., it should have appeared in yesterday's (Sunday's) Colonist, but did not, although it reached the Colonist office, Saturday forenoon.

W. F. TOLMIE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE COLONIST:

SIR:—The above headings, arranged according to my priority of knowledge of the parties named, will herein be treated in like order.

First, then, let me correct the error in one of your late editorials, asserting that prior to Mr. William Duncan's advent, the ten septs, known as the Tshimsian tribe proper, and since 1834-5 permanently settled around Fort Simpson, were "Ishmaelites and Cannibals."

On the contrary, from my own knowledge as trader amongst them, fifty years ago, and from what I have learnt from intelligent men of earlier and wider experience than my own, I hesitate not to declare the Tshimsian, from the third decade of our century, to have been one of the most friendly, and tractable tribes known to Hudson's Bay men, on the Pacific slope.

As concerns our own Province, the most convincing proof of this is afforded by the fact that the experience of Messrs. Douglas and Work, managing the Hudson Bay business hereabout, recommended Tshimsian as the tribe likely, in 1857, to be most receptive of Missionary Duncan's teaching. Truly, Mr. Editor, all our B. C. Indians are teachable if means could be applied. The dog-eating and corpse-biting of Tshimsian sorcerers, and the living-arm biting of enthusiast imposts of the same class amongst the Hailtzuk (ai, asin aisle) during their superstitutious winter ceremonies, are by anthropologists regarded as remnants of the real cannibalism, said to have been in very primitive times, universal amongst men.

Of Mr. Duncan's great success as lay missionary or catechist at Metlakatlah, the world has long known. Indiscriminate commendation, and the unquestioning aid of H. M. gunboats for interference with Indians, not of Metlakatlah, may have somewhat warped his judgment and deceived him as to his true work. It led in 1863-6, to very cruel and unjust conduct to a Fort Simpson Indian, and to some Ketamat men brought down prisoners in December, 1865, in H. M. S. Clio, and thereafter at New Westminster incarcerated, awaiting trial, for alleged murder by the Tshimsian, years before, (what was in reality killing in open fight), and the Ketamat for alleged cannibalism of a missing boy, soon proved to have been accidentally drowned.

On ascertaining the facts, in January, 1866, the humane Governor, Seymour, forthwith liberated the prisoners, sending them home at Government expense.

On his way south in 1865, the captain of the Clio, Duncanised, perhaps to a high degree, on his own responsibility, and altogether unjustifiably, at Fort Rupert, V. I., burnt large canoes, with houses and their contents, the Kwakiool, or Kwiha owners, after a little bravado, having run to cover. Such occurrences may have helped to strengthen Mr. Duncan's supreme authority at his mission, but surely at too great cost, of needless suffering, degradation, and loss to, sometimes guiltless, outsiders.

In 1880, when the second time at Metlakatlah, I met Bishop Ridley, and, during our passage thence to Fort Simpson, we talked exclusively of the mission and its work, present and prospective. The bishop, full of zeal, contemplated great things, hoping still that Mr. Duncan would continue to manage secular affairs, while free as ever to inculcate morality and teach, as well as exemplify, Christianity. On this latter point I asked the Bishop particularly, and more than once, feeling apprehensive that curtailment of his usefulness as a teacher might discourage the earnest pioneer, and lose for the mission his ever-so valuable co-operation generally. Bishop Ridley seemed truly desirous to have Mr. Duncan continue doing what under the financial aid and the auspices of the church missionary society, he had so successfully been effecting for many years. I made these inquiries in part from knowing that two clergymen, at least, had previously been adroitly repelled from co-operating in the work at Metlakatlah. The Rev. F. B. Gribbell was one, and I think he had with him his wife and young family.

What might not have been the fine results had Mr. Duncan continued cordially to work until to-day with Bishop Ridley, whose ardent zeal at the outset, would thus have still been whetted. The wilde Tshimsian speakers up the Skeena and Nass, almost to headwaters, would ere now have had the Christian morality so inculcated and exemplified amongst them that by consequent mollifying of their habits of thought the Yeomans tragedy might have been averted, while subsequent complications would now be non-existent.

To "render unto Cæsar the things that are Cæsar's" would, in the North, as well as elsewhere in the Province, have been sedulously taught as a PARAMOUNT, UNQUESTIONABLE DUTY. So, also, is the teaching in the land of the "Star Spangled Banner," where, generally, the Indians are restrained, happy and progressive to a degree not in our Province to be paralleled. Metlakatlah was once our boast, but now we must "hide our diminished heads."

Remorse will ultimately, doubtless be the portion of the misguided whites, whoever they may be, who have been misleading the northern Indians to evil courses. These seditious persons are not "blind leaders of the blind," but knowing the right, "they yet the wrong pursue."

As to hunting grounds for particular families or septs, such a condition existed of old, along with seldom ending family interneptal, and intertribal blood-feuds. Mr. R. H. Hall, of Fort Simpson, is right in stating that the usage has almost, if not quite, lapsed into desuetude. Not long since, adventurous Tshimsian used to hunt the sea otter at Hauaga, (western islands of southern Alaska). Since forbidden by the authorities of that territory, they have frequented the western shores of Haidaland (the Q. C. Islands). Complaining Haidas have, I think, been told by authority that they were free to take their pleasure after large game, on Tshimsian lands.

In Britain, Southcottians and Muggletonians (the latter surviving for two centuries) with the many other sects can unmolestedly worship God, each in their fashion, but no party can by violence interfere with the religious practices of another sect.

So, in Victoria, a nearer example, Odd Fellows, and, on their gala days, the gay Foresters, can each have their several rules and regulations, but under like restriction. Thus it is, at least all over the English-speaking world, and Duncanites of Metlakatlah had better see to it, and quickly conform to the widely existing law, that one body of men must not lawlessly interfere with the temporal or spiritual affairs of others.

Duncanites, yielding full obedience to the "higher law" just stated, can, in what may be of their own exclusive concern still be "a law unto themselves," and, in every kind of well doing, as law abiding subjects of the Queen, and of the Province, they can feel assured of earning good will, and hearty approval, from all at home and abroad.

WM. FRASER TOLMIE.

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The Daily Times.

Victoria. Monday, Feb. 9. 1885

THE DANITES OF WALL STREET.

The Mysterious Hand that Reaches from Out the Darkness and Betrays the Cashier.

[Joaquin Miller, in Louisville Courier-Journal.]

I went to that jail prepared to publish hard truths about General Grant, the man who had let his name stand as a figure head to allure and swallow up the almost incomprehensible sum of $17,000,000. This man, whom all the brave States of the South could not vanquish, I had denounced, and was ready to denounce again had I found facts to justify it. The man who had said to Lee, sitting there under the apple trees where the last battle was fought, the last shot fired by brother into brother's breast—the man who had refused to buckle on his own sword for the occasion, or accept that of the fallen hero—the man who had said to General Lee: "No, General, keep your horses; your men will need them to plow with when they get home," was now a defaulter. I spent the day there, digging to the bottom for the truth. And I found that General Grant was as blameless as a child.

The boy whom I found there in Ludlow street jail, pale and feverish, bending over his great balance sheets, explained to me how Grant trusted him entirely, as he had trusted Lee when he took his word of honor for his battered legions—as he trusts everybody. But he fell before the Danites. Out of the dark, from behind these millions, there reached a mysterious hand that led him on, on, on, tempted his bank to borrow, borrow, borrow, and then all suddenly the mysterious hand was withdrawn, leaving no sign, no shadow of evidence that it had ever been his. The hand was withdrawn, and was thrust, oddly enough, and for a brief time, deep down into the millionaire's own pocket.

Last week the New Brunswick Bank failed for half a million, and the cashier and President lay dead. I was sent to see why and how it happened. The cashier, Hill, had had a friend, I learned, who knew and could get "points" in speculation from the mighty Danites of New York. Would they not betray him? They had betrayed others, would they not then betray him? We do not feel that way, when any one offers us an advantage. We may know that this siren or that Danite has betrayed others, but our pride, our vanity, our self-importance makes us feel that we are not the one to be betrayed, whatever may have fallen to the lot of others. The cashier puts in a few thousand dollars, the man won, lost, lost, won; he liked the excitement; it made his blood thrill; life had a glorious interest to him now. Let us hasten on. Three hundred thousand dollars of the bank's money swallowed up. The cashier threw himself on his bed that night; the fumes of gas filled the room; dead! consternation in the city. The old and honored and honest President went into a little back room, laid his watch on the window-sill, took his knife, cut his throat here, cut it there, turned up his sleeve, severed this vein, that vein, then sat down to look at the minute-hand of his watch and die. The pride of his heart came, trailing her rich silks in the blood of her murdered father. Murdered! Yes, murdered by the Danites of New York. Aye, that man's murder can be traced to the doors of these New York Danites who set their traps for such, just as clearly as were the murders of the Danites of the Sierras traced to John D. Lee, who was tried by the Government and shot by the Government as he sat on his coffin in Utah for his crime.

A Miniature Whirlwind.

[Waynesboro (Ga.) Messenger.]

A. W. Morris, while out duck-hunting in the vicinity of Mr. J. A. Patterson's mill dam, on Friday, the 19th inst., noticed a commotion in the water which he at first supposed to be fish chasing each other, but he soon discovered that it was a whirlwind, although it was otherwise perfectly calm. The water was raised in a column six or eight inches in diameter to the height of about six feet, terminating in spray. The column advanced toward the shore upon which Mr. Morris was standing, who made a timely retreat, for at the bank the water was released, and a bush, the body of which was as large round as his arm, was attacked and twisted off. Had it caught Mr. Morris he would have been severely injured, if not killed outright.

The English Idiocy.

["Spectator," in N. Y. Mail and Express.]

I was in a Broadway music store the other afternoon when in walked a young lady who possesses a charming voice, which has often given much pleasure to a roomful of people. When she talks she affects the English pronunciation, which she exaggerates and which is the only unpleasant thing about her. She came in to buy a popular song, and said to the clerk: "Will you kindly give me the song (which she pronounced) Narn ce la?" After looking over the French Catalogue for some time, he came back and said to her: "Miss, I can not find the song you want in our French catalogue, and am very sorry we have not got it." Quite disgusted that he did not understand her, she replied: "Oh, well, give me, then, Nancy Lee."

The Modern Shakespeare.

[Yonkers Gazette.]

"A chilly evening this, Andromeda!"

"And quite in keeping with thy wooing, sirrah."

"So, ho! Now blows the wind in troublous quarters, quotha! From what new quiver of thy mind's caprice did'st pluck this arrow of suspicion, maid!"

"From none, Sir Apathy! If thou are stabbed, 'tis with an icicle of thine unconcern."

"My unconcern! Great Socrates forbid! In all the scroll of me iniquities there is no item that will semblance that."

"Yet such is e'en the later accusation of thy lips. There was a time when thou did'st kiss as thou would'st drain the fountain of the heart, but recent pressure of thy dainty lips are light, as a merest shred of thistledown."

"Ha, ha! here's freshness for thee. Dost thou know—?"

"Aye! Well I know by that thou lov'st me not. The devotee at love's ecstatic shrine tips not the portal of his idol's breath as if there the small-pox bred its germs. The bee that seeks for nectar'd bud doth sometime linger at the precious mine, and only spinsters, loveless grown and sere, or toothless churls with souls o'er given to gold, do kiss as waning Romeos do kiss."

"Be all the comely cunities of Cupid, I like that well! Ms little doxy fancies not this touching lips! She pouts at kisses that do shallow seem as flakes of ice that hint at winter's birth. Enough, sweet angel, but another day and this same gum-boil that has tamed me suit will leave no trace of its restraining power, and then I'll fatten on thy ruby lips as one who knew no other fount of sustenance. Nay, an' thou cravest kisses—kisses with sweet duration in their visitings—and taste of heaven just a giff beyond, I'll give thee such till thou dost think the god of love hath given thee bon-bons for thy nourishment, and banked thy mouth with pyramids of jam.

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Wednesdays, 6.45 a. m.	COMOX, and Quadra, (Baynes Sound)	Saturday at 4 p. m.
9 a. m., 11 a. m., 2 p. m. and 5 p. m.	ESQUIMALT—Four times daily	9.30 a. m., 12.30 p. m., 3.30 p. m. & 6 p. m.
Tuesdays, at 8 a. m.	SOOKE, Metchosin and Colwood	Mondays at 5 p. m.
Tuesdays at 12 m., and Friday at 6.45 a. m.	SAANICH	Tuesdays at 9 a. m. and Thursday at 3 p. m.
26th at 7 p. m.	KOOTENAY, Joseph's Prairie and Ft. Esgone Mission	Within 15 days from date of departure.
22d at 7 p. m.	PORT WRANGEL, Sitka, Harrisburg and Juneau City, via Port Townsend, W. T.	Uncertain
Daily at 7 p. m.	EASTERN PROVINCES, Manitoba, United States, Great Britain and Europe, via Port Townsend, W. T.	Daily, at 1 p. m.
Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday at 7 p. m.	MANITOBA, and Intermediate Territories.	Tri-Weekly
4th 12th, 20th and 28th, at 11.30 a. m.	SAN FRANCISCO, Direct	Every 8 days
4th at 11.30 a. m.	AUSTRALIA and New Zealand	Uncertain
12th, 19th and 27th, at 11.30 a. m.	CHINA and Japan	Uncertain
12th, 20th and 28th, at 11.30 a. m.	SANDWICH ISLANDS	Uncertain
12th and 27th, 11.30 a.m.	PANAMA and South America	Uncertain

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Estate of Michel Camsusa, Deceased.

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J. ROLAND BETT, Solicitor for the Executors.

Langley St., Victoria, December, 23, 1884.

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J. ROLAND BETT, Solicitor for the Executors

Langley St., Victoria, December 23, 1884.

Administrator's Notice.

In the Goods of Frederick Black, Late of Cassiar, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of the deceased are hereby requested to send in their accounts to John Grant, of Victoria, administrator, on or before the 1st day of February, 1885, and all persons indebted to the above estate must pay their accounts forthwith to the administrator.

D. M. EBERTS, Solicitor to the Administrator.

Victoria, Dec. 18, 1884.

Administrator's Notice.

In the Goods of Lawrence Redmond, Late of Cassiar, Deceased.

All persons having claims against the estate of the deceased, are hereby requested to send in their accounts to John Grant, of Victoria, administrator, on or before the 1st day of February, 1885, and all persons indebted to the above estate must pay their accounts forthwith to the administrator.

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Victoria, Nov 27 1884. nov27-td

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CHAS. E. POOLEY Secretary.

Dated Victoria, 5th Jan., 1885. ja6

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